# SENATE BILL NO. 685 

## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR CHAPPELLE-NADAL.
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AN ACT
To repeal section $235.140, \mathrm{RSMo}$, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the election of board members of street light maintenance districts.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:
Section A. Section 235.140, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 235.140, to read as follows:
235.140. 1. At the general municipal election in the year after the first full calendar year after the organization of any district and at the general municipal election thereafter, there shall be elected by the voters of the district one member of the board to serve for a term of six years. Nominations may be filed, as provided by law, with the secretary of the board or the board may provide for nominations to be filed with the election authority for the jurisdiction in which the district is located.
2. The candidates for board member shall be elected on a separate nonpartisan ballot. The candidate receiving the most votes shall be elected. Any new member of the board shall qualify in the same manner as members of the first board qualify.
3. At the first general municipal election to occur after August 28,2018 , the elections for the seats of any board members elected to a six year term in 2014 or who have been appointed to unexpired terms of members elected to a six year term in 2014, shall be held. At the second general municipal election to occur after August 28, 2018, the elections for the seats of any board members elected to a six year term in 2016 or who have been appointed to unexpired terms of members elected to a six year term in 2016, shall be held. At the third general municipal election to occur after August 28, 2018, the elections for the

21 seats of any board members elected to a six year term in 2018 or who 22 have been appointed to unexpired terms of members elected to a six 23 year term in 2018, shall be held.

